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Applicant(s)

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MEDIUM

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION (37 C.F.R. § 1.111)

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Sir:

On May 24, 2006, the undersigned submitted a response to the outstanding Office Action dated February 24, 2006. The May 24, 2006 response indicated that a certified translation of the priority document was being prepared and would be submitted shortly. The certified translation is hereby submitted.

Applicants respectfully submit that the claims of this application are in condition for allowance. Accordingly, reconsideration of the rejection and allowance is requested. If a conference would assist in placing this application in better condition for allowance, the undersigned would appreciate a telephone call at the number indicated.

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